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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

SIR:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time, a petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) and authorization to charge the requisite fee is enclosed.

In response to the Office Action dated July 24, 2006, please amend the subject application as follows: